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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

IN RE APPLICATION OF: YIP, Cecil et al.
SERIAL NO: 09/744,628
FILED: June 1, 2001
FOR: IDENTIFICATION OF COMPOUNDS FOR MODULATING
DIMERIC RECEPTORS

Grp./A.U: 1631
Examiner: Zeman, Mary K.
Conf. No: 3027
Docket No: P04885US1

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated May 18, 2004 rejecting the following claims: 3, 6, 8-15 and 20-22.

Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. A statement of small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 has already been filed in this application.

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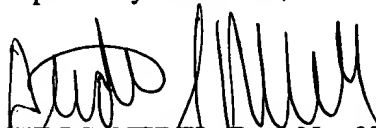
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- [X] An amendment including the extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,



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